



March 5, 2013

To: Senate Business & Labor Committee
From: Rita Charles, Volunteer Advocate with AARP Montana
Re: Support HB 264

Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, for the record, I am Rita Charles a Volunteer Advocate with AARP Montana. We are a non-partisan organization of approximately 155,000 members here in Montana. AARP Montana supports HB 264.

Senior Centers function on very small budgets and are a vital source of community for seniors. By allowing, these centers to facilitate games without the operator fee they can continue to offer the games seniors enjoy playing.

As Montana's population ages more seniors citizens will need the community of senior centers. We urge you to support HB 272.